

## DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

### To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Alice M. Guthrie, via Boston, 40,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Ralph Russell, Georges, 26 000 lbs. cod, 3000 lbs. halibut.  
Sch. Vesta, Rips.  
Sch. James R. Clark, Rips.  
Sch. M. H. Perkins, Rips, 30,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. Flora J. Sears, shore.  
Sch. Evelyn L. Smith, shore.

### Today's Fish Market.

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Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.25; medium cod, \$1.75; all cod caught to the eastward of La-Have bank, \$2, medium \$1.50; cusk, \$1.62 1-2; haddock, \$1; hake, \$1; pollock, 70 cts.

Outside sales Georges handline cod, \$4 3-8 for large and \$3 5-8 for mediums.

Rips cod, \$4.43 1-2 for large and \$3.67 1-2 for medium.

Bank halibut, 8 cts. per lb. for white and 6 cts. per lb. for gray.

### Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Preceptor, shacking.  
Sch. Hazel Oneita, shacking.

### Boston.

No arrivals today.

### Fishing Feet Movements.

Schs. Ella M. Doughty and R. D. Trefry arrived at Portland on Wednesday.  
Sch. Carleton Belle put into Halifax on Tuesday, leaking.  
Sch. Senator was at Canso on Wednesday.  
Sch. Gov. Russell arrived at Port Hawkesbury on Wednesday.

## TWO LARGE FARES.

Schs. Acacia and Dauntless are at New York Today.

At New York today are the netters Acacia with 7000 fresh mackerel and Dauntless with 5000 fresh mackerel.

### Salt Mackerel Sale.

The fare of salt mackerel of sch. Diana sold to Parmenter & Co. at \$12 per barrel.

### Can't Handle Fish Shipment.

The fishermen at Newport were notified yesterday by the officials of the Fall River line, that owing to conditions arising from the freight handlers' strike in New York, it would be impossible for them to take any fish from there to New York last night. It is believed there will be a very large amount of fish on hand by today and considerable loss to the fishing fleet may result.

## WEEKLY FISH MARKET.

The fish market presents no new features this week. Trade is very dull and listless but the market is strong and even in some lines shows a slight advance on fish from the vessel. Sales of Rips cod are at 5 cents all around above the Georges handline quotations and a little advance is noted on the last fares of fresh pollock from Provincetown. A few barrels of early southern caught salt mackerel were sold at \$12 per barrel, the opening price last year being \$19.50. Many of the mackerel seining fleet have gone to the Cape Shore, but quite a number will remain south and operate there, as quite a lot of fish were seen before the recent spell of bad weather. Fish this week have been in light receipt.

The receipts at this port for the week ending May 21 are  
505,000 lbs. salt cod.  
155,000 lbs. fresh cod.  
47,000 lbs. haddock.  
78,000 lbs. hake.  
68,000 lbs. cusk.  
66,000 lbs. pollock.  
14 bbls. salt mackerel.  
53,000 lbs. halibut.  
137,000 lbs. salt pollock.  
283 bbls. fresh mackerel.

### Salt Fish from Vessel.

	Board of Trade Prices	Outside Sales
Large Georges cod (handline)	4.37 1-2	4.37 1-2
Medium Georges cod (handline)	3.62 1-2	3.62 1-2
Large Georges cod (trawl)	4.12 1-2	4.12 1-2
Medium Georges cod (trawl)	3.37 1-2	3.37 1-2
Large handline cod from deck caught east of Cape Sable		
Medium do.		
Large trawl bank cod	3.62 1-2	3.62 1-2
Medium trawl bank cod	3.12 1-2	3.12 1-2
Large dory handline cod		
Medium do.		

### Fresh Fish from Vessel.

All large cod caught on La Have bank and to the westward	2.25	2.25
Medium do.	1.75	1.75
All large cod caught to the eastward of La Have Bank	2.00	2.00
Medium do.	1.50	1.50
Cusk	1.62 1-2	1.62 1-2
Haddock	1.00	1.00
Hake	1.00	1.00
Pollock	.70	.77 1-2

### Other Prices from Vessel.

Hake sounds, 5 to 5 1-2 cts. per lb.  
Livers, soft 30 cts. per bucket; hard, 30 cts. per bucket.  
Fresh Bank halibut (white) 9 cts. per lb.  
Fresh Bank halibut (gray) 7 cts. per lb.

### Mackerel Notes.

At Yarmouth Friday morning, the Iron Mine trap took 50 mackerel.

Only three mackerel traps are set on the Yarmouth shore this spring. They are all owned by Mr. Edward Allen.

Georges halibut, 9 cts and 7 cts. per lb. for white and gray.

Rips cod, 4.42 1-2 per cwt. for large; 3.67 1-2 for medium.

Spring salt mackerel, \$12 per bbl.

### Local Quotations of Cured Fish.

Cured Large Georges cod \$7.00 per qtl.

Cured Medium Georges cod	6.25
Cured large Bank cod	6.25
Cured Medium Bank cod	5.75
Kench cured large Bank cod	6.50
Kench cured medium Bank cod	6.00
Cured large shore cod	7.00
Cured medium shore cod	5.75
Cured cusk	5.00
Cured hake	2.50 to 3
Cured haddock	4.25
Heavy salted pollock	2.87 1-2
English cured pollock	4.00
Large handline bank	6.50
Medium handline bank	\$6.00

### Mackerel.

Shore 1s	\$16 to \$17 per bbl.
Shore extra 1s	18 to 19 per bbl.
Shore bloaters	20 per bbl.
Nova Scotias	14 per bbl.
Prince Edward Island	15 per bbl.
Norway bloaters	34 per bbl.
Norway 1s	27 per bbl.
Norway 2s	23 per bbl.
Irish	14 per bbl.

### Provincetown Notes.

Sch. Fannie W. Freeman is at Matheson's wharf fitting for a Grand Bank salt cod trip, under command of Capt. James Allen.

The salt cod fish fleet will comprise five sail from this port this year, one of which, sch. Ada K. Damon, will fish in the North Bay. It has been quite a few years since a vessel has been sent from Provincetown to this latter fish ground.

Capt. Herman Mayo, formerly of sch. Little Jennie, recently lost off Monomoy, will command sch. Daniel Boone and will engage in the southern drag fishery.

Sloop Active has stocked \$800 thus far in the southern drag fishery.

Sch. James A. Garfield of Gloucester is at Provincetown taking pollock from the fish traps.

## CANADA'S FISHERIES.

Value of Catch of 1903 Was Almost \$22,000,000.

The total value of fish and fish products of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1903, aggregated \$21,959,433, according to a report forwarded to the department of commerce and labor by United States Counsel Berphoiz, at Three Rivers. The value of these products from the various provinces was as follows: Nova Scotia, \$7,351,753; British Columbia, \$5,284,824; Quebec, \$2,059,175; New Brunswick, \$3,912,514; Ontario, \$1,265,706; Manitoba and Northwest territory, \$1,198,437; Prince Edward Island, \$887,024. The yield for the season for 1901-02 exceeded that of the present season by \$3,777,720.

During the fiscal year the value of fish and fish products as well as marine animals, exported to Canada from foreign countries was \$11,826,646.

### Netters at New York.

At New York today are the netters N. A. Rowe with 2000 fresh mackerel, sloop Pearl, 1400 fresh mackerel, and sch. Laura Gamage with 1000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Motor, with 3250 fresh mackerel and sch. Actor with 1100 fresh mackerel arrived at New York yesterday afternoon.



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Sch. Glenelg, Provincetown, 50,000 fresh pollock.  
Sch. Dido, Provincetown, 15,000 lbs. fresh pollock.  
Sch. J. P. Foster, Jr., Provincetown, 600 qtls. cured cod and pollock.  
Sch. Gladys and Sabra, Rips, 40,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. Norman Fisher, Rips, 40,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. Cecil H. Low, Georges.  
Sch. Ralph L. Hall, seining.  
Sch. Maud F. Silva, shore.  
Sch. Mary Edith, shore.  
Sch. Annie and Jennie, shore.

### Vessels Sailed.

Sch. George E. Lane, Jr., Georges.  
Sch. Rob Roy, shacking.  
Sch. William H. Rider, Rips.  
Sch. Latona, seining.  
Sch. Senator Saulsbury, seining.

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### Boston.

Sch. Carrie F. Roberts, 2000 haddock, 9000 cod.

Sch. Enema, 7000 haddock, 8700 cod, 3000 hake, 3000 pollock, 500 cusk.

Sch. Matchless, 5000 haddock, 14,000 cod, 17,000 hake, 10,000 cusk.

Sch. Col. William R. Austin, 2500 haddock, 4000 cod, 1500 hake, 10,000 cusk.

Sch. Distant Shore, 500 haddock, 800 cod.

Sch. Sea Fox, 500 haddock, 800 cod.

Haddock, \$1.50 to \$3; large cod, \$1.85; pollock, \$1.25; cusk, \$1.30.

### Fishing Feet Movements.

Sch. Kentucky was at Liverpool, N. S., on Wednesday.

Sch. Grayling cleared from Lockeport, N. S., on Wednesday.

Schs. Jennie B. Hodgdon and Sceptre arrived at North Sydney on Wednesday. The latter had 80,000 pounds of fish.

Sch. Avalon cleared from Shelburne on Wednesday.

Sch. Helen F. Whitten cleared from North Sydney on Tuesday. She was reported to have 100,000 pounds of fish.

### Harbor Notes.

The steam yacht Sayonara, Capt. Freeman H. Davis, sailed this morning.

Tug Eveleth towed the house boat Clarina to Marblehead yesterday.

The salt bark Paloa Madre was docked at Pew's wharf yesterday afternoon.

## NETTERS AT NEW YORK.

### Many of the Little Craft Have Fine Trips.

Sch. Lillian Tops the List with 8000 Fresh Mackerel.



A special to the TIMES this morning reports the following mackerel netters at New York:

Sloop Magnolia, 2600 fresh mackerel.  
Sloop Active, 1750 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Samoset, 6000 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Two Forty, 1200 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Lillian, 8000 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. C. W. Dolliver, 2700 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Cherokee, 2500 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Olive May, 2000 fresh mackerel.  
Sloop Defender, 1400 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Queen of the Sea, 1600 fresh mackerel.

Sloop Golden Eagle, 2600 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Mattie and Lena, 1300 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Mabel Leavitt, 2000 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Sarah C. Wharf, 3000 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Moses B. Linscott, 1600 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Jack O'Lantern, 1000 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. W. T. Dodge, 2500 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Maud Gertrude, 1600 fresh mackerel.  
Sloop Vesta, 4000 fresh mackerel.

Several more of the seining fleet are home from the southward to make a dash for the Cape Shore, among them being schs. Victor Faustina, Marguerite Haskins, Pinta and Agnes E. Downes. No fish have been seen to the southward since the last bad spell of weather, and the skippers are of the opinion that the schools will be late on the Cape Shore.

## UP AGAINST THE ICE.

### Sch. Agnes Gets Fine Fare Near St. Paul's Island.

Reports Bait Plenty in Seines at Connaigre Bay, N. F.

Sch. Agnes, Capt. Lemuel Crowell, arrived this morning from the fishing ground off St. Paul's island with a fine fare, 20,000 pounds of halibut, 20,000 pounds of salt cod, and 40,000 pounds of fresh cod. Capt. Crowell reports a large quantity of ice in that vicinity, the floe extending as far as the eye could see, but the current which was setting to the northward, kept it back so that the vessel could lay on the fishing ground and set the trawls along the edge of the ice. Good fishing was found, but on the account of the danger from the ice coming down, no night sets were made.

Schs. Harvard and Robinhood were the only other vessels there and were getting good fishing. The former craft went into a Newfoundland harbor for bait and the ice came down and closed the port, hemming her in for many days.

Capt. Crowell reports that many of the salt bankers baited at Newfoundland and there was plenty of herring at Connaigre Bay, where the Agnes baited. One seine there got a monster haul, and the owner did not know how many barrels he did have. When the Agnes got her baiting, 55 dory loads had been taken out of it and it still appeared to be full. The owner was selling at only \$15 per dory load. Capt. Crowell reports that some of the salt bankers which he heard from had done well on their second baiting, while many others had not done as well as they did last year.

### Maiden Trip.

Sch. Mina Swim, Capt. John Swim, arrived from her maiden trip to the Rips yesterday with a good fare 40,000 pounds of salt cod, having previously landed 4000 pounds of halibut at Portland.

## SCOTCH EXPERT AT CANSO.

### Will Begin Herring Curing Experiment the Present Week.

John Cowie, the Scotch herring expert, engaged by the Dominion government to conduct an experimental station for catching and curing herring after the Scotch fashion, arrived at Canso on Friday, accompanied by his staff of herring curers, including six Scotch lassies. The steam drifter Thirty-three, bought by the government in Yar month, Eng., for this purpose, will arrive early next week, when active operations will be begun to test whether Canadian herring can be cured to equal Scotch herring, which are now the favorite in American markets.

The steam drifter is fitted with all the appliances used in the North sea. She will be used to catch herring all along the Nova Scotia coast, and the fish will be cured at Canso. If this experiment proves successful it will add a million dollars to the annual value of Nova Scotia's herring catch, as Scotch cured fish command a much higher price.

## INSIDE A CODFISH.

### Mackerel Found by the Crew of Sch. Royd and Leeds.

Capt. Fred Howard of sch. Boyd and Leeds which arrived from a drift codfishing trip to Georges, reports that recently on the southeast part of the bank, one of the crew pulled in a big codfish, which when split was found to have a mackerel in its stomach. The mackerel was a large one and strange to say it was alive, so he must have been swallowed but a short time before the cod was caught.

## LANESVILLE.

### Large School of Fish.

There are large schools of fish out in Ipswich bay at present, and the only drawback is the scarcity of fresh herring bait among the local fishermen. Mr. James C. McKay used three buckets of herring for bait yesterday, and caught 1,000 weight of fish, mostly cod and a few haddock. Several others of the local fishermen who were fortunate enough to secure herring bait also got large catches.

Those using squid bait were not so successful, although some of them got as much as 500 weight.

## SCH. ANNIE M. PARKER HOME.

### Has Been in the Ice Since January at Bay of St. George, N. F.

Sch. Annie M. Parker, Capt. John O'Brien, has been in the ice at Bay St. George, N. F., since last January, and only recently was able to get out. She arrived at East Boston yesterday, having 381 barrels of salt herring on board.